Remarks

We enclose herewith an English translation of the PCT Application as originally filed, together with preliminary amendments to place the Application into better form under U.S. Rules of Practice. We respectfully request entry of the above amendments into the Official File and early examination on the merits.

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In the Claims (Marked-Up Version)

1. (Amended) [Process] A process for [the] management of data [transfers] transfer to a specific destination station [possessing] having a plurality of [at least one] real [address] addresses, the process being applied to a multiplicity of telecommunications supports and comprising:

[a step of definition of] <u>defining</u> a virtual address of [the] <u>a</u> destination station comprising [the] <u>an</u> ordered sequence of [the] real addresses of said destination station[,];

[a step of sequential] <u>sequentially</u> searching through [the] different <u>real</u> addresses until obtaining a positive response <u>from a real address</u> establishing a communications channel; and

[a data transfer step, characterized in that it is applied to a multiplicity of telecommunications supports] transferring data by the communication channel.

- 2. (Amended) [Process for the management of data transfers] The process according to claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein at each failure and/or success in establishing communication, [the] communication parameters[, such as the date, time and address of the communication,] are stored in a memory and [in that the] data stored in the memory are processed [so as] to define [the] optimal communication establishment parameters.
- 3. (Amended) [Process for the management of data transfers] <u>The process</u> according to claim 2, [characterized in that] <u>wherein</u> the processing performed on [the] data stored in <u>the memory [consists of] is an iterative learning process.</u>
- 4. (Amended) [Process for the management of data transfers] <u>The process</u> according to claim 3, [characterized in that] <u>wherein</u> the iterative learning process uses a neural network.

- 5. (Amended) [Process for the management of data transfers] <u>The process</u> according to claim 2, [characterized in that] <u>wherein</u> the processing performed on [the] data stored in <u>the memory [consists of] is a statistical processing.</u>
- 6. (Amended) [Device comprising telephonic communications transport means and data transfer means, means for storing in memory the calls issued and/or received by a party, as well as means for storing in memory the addresses enabling connection of a party as well as means for the sequential calling of a destination station from the list of its addresses, characterized in that it comprises means for the storage in memory of the history of past communication sequences and means for modeling the optimal sequences for a multiplicity of telecommunications supports] The process according to claim 2, wherein the communication parameters are selected from the group consisting of date, time and address.

Please add the following new claim 7:

- 7. (New) A communication device comprising:
- telephonic communications transport means and data transfer means;
- means for storing in a memory calls issued and/or received by a party,
- means for storing in the memory addresses enabling connection of the party,
- means for sequential calling of a destination station from a list of addresses,
- means for the storage in the memory of a history of past communication sequences;

<u>and</u>

- means for modeling optimal sequences for a multiplicity of telecommunications supports.